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PASS SECRETARY SIMON AND DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN FUNSETH
FROM UNDER SECRETARY ROBINSON

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRD

SUBJ: COUNTERVAILING DUTIES UPON IMPORTS OF FLOAT GLASS AND
STEEL

REF: STATE 127489

1. THANKS FOR YOUR CONFIDENTIAL STATE 127489 ALERTING
ME TO A MISQUOTATION IN THE AP-DOW JONES WIRE STORY.
I EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT CONSULTATIONS SUCH AS
WERE HELD WITH THE EC ON FRIDAY SHOULD BE HELPFUL IN
ELIMINATING THE NEED FOR COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. I ALSO
STATED THAT IT WAS IMPORTANT THAT WE ESTABLISH RULES
IN MULTINATIONAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH WOULD
ELIMINATE EXPORT SUBSIDIES AND THE NEED FOR COUNTER-
VAILING DUTIES.

2. I SHARE YOUR CONCERN REGARDING THE DANGER OF ADVERSE
CONGRESSIONAL REACTION FROM THIS INACCURATE PRESS REPORT
AND ACCORDINGLY WILL INSTRUCT STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKES-
MAN TO CLARIFY MY STATEMENTS AS OUTLINED ABOVE IN
RESPONSE TO ANY INQUIRIES. THOMPSON

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